PETER TO PAY PAUL

West Michigan Fair Will Get Out of Debt

BY BORROWING MORE MONEY

About the Title.

Nearly a score of the leading bond-holders of the West Michigan Pair asso-ciation met in Sweet's hotel yesterday afternood to device some method of ex-tricating the society from its present in-debtedness. It was accomplished by the following resolution offered by

Recipes W. Thayer:
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Recipes of the society shall call a meeting of threctors to temester business for the society. Then this meeting recommends that the society issue notes enough to relie money to pay all debts of the society, the notes to bear interest at 6 per cent per animal, one-half payable October 1, 1894, and the other one-half payable October 1, 1894, sortiding there is not enough money in the reason; to pay the entire indebtedness October 1, 1894.

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Thomas D. Gilbert presided at the meeting and George W. Thompson acted as secretary. About \$9,000 of the entire \$45,000 of stock was represented.

Question of Title.

Some new and interesting revelations concerning the doed of the grounds were made. After Martin L Sweet had stated that \$75,000 had been expended on the improvement of the grounds, and that the deed had been accepted by the board with a vote of thanks, the matter of the association's title was brought up, Judge J. G. Ramssiell of Traverse City and other members of the society have stated in perfect good faith that they did not believe the society had a clear title. The deed given by Mr. Comstock was produced at the meeting. It provides that the grounds shall be used for fair, race track, exposition, park, religious, political and similar purposes, and that in case the society does not use them for these similar purposes the grounds shall revert to the city of Grand Rapids, to be used as a public park; but under no consideration shall the property ever be cut up into lots, used for reformatory or penal purposes or as a site for a pest house or similar institution. Question of Title.

This also refutes the statement that it is necessary to hold a fair every year in order for the society to retain its title to the grounds. "If nothing but a camp meeting was held, and the other conditions were complied with, the grounds would belong to the society just the same," said Mr. Comstock. When the question of ownership of bonds was brought up, Z. V. Cheney, president of the board of directors, stated that to the best of his belief not more than \$1,000 of the bonds is owned outside of Kent county.

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The present management of the fair was called up, and Mr. Thayer made a comparison of the new and old associations. The present indebtedness of the fair is 83,700 in premiums and 21,000 interest, a total of 85,700. Mr. Thayer said that for the first tive years the old said that for the first five years the old society was in existence it cleared \$10. 000, besides expending from \$300 to \$500 yearly in making repairs. The meeting closed with the adoption of Mr. Thayer's

Among the bond holders present were the following: C. C. Comstock, Martin L. Sweet, Judge Burlingame, S. S. kalley, George W. Thayer, N. L. Avery, G. D. Plumb, Mr. Rumsey, Oliver Waters, T. D. Gilbert, Mr. Ockeback, A. J. Gill, flohert Briggs, W. N. Bowe, A. J. Tucker, Mr. Woodruff, Z. V. Cheney, George W. Thompson.

Y. M. C. A RECEPTION.

Factory Employes Entertained in the Association Building.

The Y. M. C. A. monthly reception for November to factory employes was given last night to the employes of the Sligh Furniture company, W. A. Berkey company, Grand Rapide School Furniture company, the Hacey School Furniture company, Z. E. Allen Furniture company, and McCord & Bradfield. About 200 persons were present, three-fourths of whose had never been inside of the new building before. The association is well placed with the result of its receptions as they draw many strangers into the as they draw many burning the supe-building sho upon learning the superice advantages to be gained by a Y. M. C. A. membership at once join the association. The Women's Auxilthe association. The Women's Auxiliary furnished the program of entertoloment, which was presented in the Auditorium. Those who took part in the program were the Schubert quartet composed of James Grant, John Wester-hort J. E. Reomer and W. A. Wurster, Miss Acons Hurst, recitation; Miss Der-tica Curtiss, pinno solo; Miss Clara Geodinau, vocal solo, with Miss Woodmun as accompaniet. At the conclusion of the program the gymnesium classes ed the visitors with an exhibition of their skill in several gymnastic

G. A. R. Memorial Service.

A. B. Watern poet, G. A. R. No. 305, held improveive memorial services at its regular meeting last night in Engineer's half in memory of the deceased mean hors of the post who died within the post year. The departed comrades rice James A. Travia who died July 7, and Joseph L. Hanes, who passed away therefor 10. There was a large number of the communder and their wives present and an appropriate program was arranged for the occasion. Communities D. Z. Eline presided and had charge of the program. Following is the program as presented; Song. The Vacant Chair. by a quartet; song, "Boldier's Dream," by George Harrick; subtrees, Dr. J. R. Griseroid; subtrees, the Call, "Dr. W. R. Boss, abtrees, the Rev. J. P. Pourett, Sense with the Boys Arm They, by a quarton soldense. The Battleffelia of Chickensungs, C. F. Belknap. The exception chief with the hyun "America." ming by the audience.

Statt Street Improvement.

Controltes Peterson & Skapla expert to have that portion of the Hall street improvement between Kalamason are and and the south puris completed by normal ways again. In will take about twenty days to complete the suf through the bill out of the south yards. The contractors expect to begin the timistale arouse opening next Mon-day miching. They are now oupleying fifty mon-and toward teams on the Hall storet contract, the largest improvement

Change in Becciving

In the matter of the First National bank of Dicksquer on Richard G. Peters et al., Judge Reverens in the United

States court restering accepted the congunation of Aitnert M. Henry of Decreat as receiver and appointed the Michigan Trust company as his successor. The affairs of the Peters company are nearly settled and under the circumstances it was thought best by all parties concerned to place the whole matter in the hands of the Michigan Trust company, as that company now has control of the R. G. Peters Sait & Lumber company as receiver.

Deputy Game Warden C. E. Brewster is on the trail of the quall hunters. Yesterday he secured the conviction of August Klawiter before Justice Waits of Hudsonville, for shooting quali out of season. The prisoner was fined 800 and costs and was sentenced to ten days in the Ottawa county jail.

County Agent Holcomb has a letter from Dutton, written by Mesdames Muines and Shaw, stating that they represent a large number of persons who would like to see Mrs. Howard's children returned to her, and asking Mr. Holcomb to interfere in their pehalt. Justice Holcomb will investigate the case more fully.

November 15 was set in the superior court yesterday for striking a jury in the opening of Watson street, and November 16 for hearing the case.

The will of Effic Holmer was filed for probate yesterday. She left property worth \$2,000 at Cooperaville.

Nathan C. Thomas was diverced yesterday from Inza D. Thomas.

Circuit Court.

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Judos Gaova Charles E. Cartwright
va the Fuller & Rice Lumber company, assumpeit; on trial.

Judos Abait Charles Blakeslee va the
Consolidated Street Railway company, trespass on the case; on trial.

JUDGE HURLINGAME—In re opening of Watson street; striking jury set for November 15.

J. DOE HAGGERTY—George McWha, selling liquor to a minor; adjourned until November 7.

PROMISE OF A BABY KEPT. Queer Anti-Nuptial Agreement Be-

tween Two Women.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Nov. 2—Eighteen years ago Mra. Wright and Mrs. May Robinson, both residing in Niles, were intimate friends, and each promised that if one died leaving a small child it should be left on the door step of the other. Mrs. Wright's husband died and she afterward married Harold E. Smith and came to live near this city. On August 10 of this year Mrs. Smith died in childbirth, and the babe, a boy, was cared for by her sister. One evening a week ago a babe was found on the steps of Mrs. Robinson's home in Niles, and the little thing was taken in and cared for. A day or two ago Mrs. Robinson received a letter from Harold E. Smith, the child's father, who lives near this city, stating that he had put the baby

the child's father, who lives near this city, stating that he had put the baby boy on her door step in compliance with his wife's dying request, and had watched in the dusk until he saw it taken in. He wished it named Richard D. Smith, enclosing \$30 to pay for present needs, and promising to pay all fathers accounts.

Lumbering Nearly Stopped. FREDERIC, Mich., Nov. 2 -- Lumbering rations in this section of the state were never so light as at present. The forced shutting down of the mills of H. M. Loud & Son and Penoyer Pros. at Oscoda will result in the temporary suspension of logging operations by the former firm. John Millen of Alpena, who is operating a lumber camp on the Black river, near Hillman, notified his men that they would receive from \$15 to \$20 per month wages and would not get pay, either by order or money, until April I. The whole crew of forty

men quit in a body, and the camp was left without a man. Men are roaming the woods in every direction, looking for

Fell Under the Cars.

Drannoux, Mich., Nov. 2-F. Hahn, aged 5 or 6, while playing in Anthony Wagner's brickyard, fell under the Michigan Central cars. His leg was crushed and will have to be amputated.

State News in Brief.

A party of Kalamazoo hunters, con-sisting of Julius Gelkey, E. C. Toole, C. Mason and William Glover, have returned from the upper peninsula with The Third National bank of Detroit

will be strengthened by an assessment of 50 per cent in its \$300,000 capital, with an enlarged board of directors and new officers. The church fight in Augusta township

has been settled. The minority taking the building and paying the majority \$500 and all the debts of the society. Harry A. Jones of Hastings is under arrest at Kalamazoo, charged with forg-ing the name of W. B. Milham of Port-

age to a check for \$55. The Rev. Ears S. Morehouse, late of Hoogard, has received a call to become

passer of the congregational churches of dopkies township. A horse and carriage belonging to W. Martindale of Otsego was stolen from in front of a store in that town Tues-

Students of Albion college have formed a co-operative association for the purchase of books at wholesale

One hundred and thirty-five bodies have been removed from the old Fort Brady cemetary at Sault Ste. Marie, Speak thieves at Hamilton went to A.

C. Parkhuest's burn and stole thirty bushels of wheat Tuesday night. Fourteen members of the senior class

of Hillslain high school have been expelled by the superintendent. The barn of Willie Link of Williamton was burned Tuesday evening. Loss,

\$600; go insurance.

Mentague's scurlet fiver epidemic has run its length and the schools have been M. Sproutz of Windhen City has

reject a cabbage weighing thirty five Union City factories have recumed

work on full time with a full force of Albion has a stringency of ministers, two of the air churches are without pas-

Holland Furniture company has been recorporated with a depital of \$10,000. Vandale have round several monu-

The American repress office at Her-The iron bridge across the Big Stabbit steer in Salem is completed. Jiefge Lane has ordered that all street

ence in Adrian carry signs.

Fifty Califfar sports indulgat in a squired little pesterolay. mentel form has been stemped out at

see Joseph City hand has distancied, parade is its posting for the grand street

HARD ONE TO SOLVE

in the Blakeslee Damage Case Out All Night.

HE SUED FOR HIS INJURIES

Claims the Street Railway Company Caused His Team to Hun Away on Canal Street-Court News.

The damage suit of Charles Blakeslee against The Consolidated Street Railway company, which has occupied four days this week in Judge Adsit's court, went to the jury at 3 o'closit yesterday afternoon and at 10.20 as verdict had been reached. Blakesles, a driver for the Grand Rapide Stave company, sued for \$10.000 for injuries received on Canal street about one year ago. He was driving a large load of barrels on that street when an electric car ran by and struck the load enough to frighten the team. They started to run away and Mr. Blakeslee was thrown down and injured. It was claimed that Blakeslee was careless and contributed to the accident by driving ages the track or very near to it without looking to see whether or not a cir was coming. Mr. Blakeslee swore that the team was spirited and had run away on other occasions.

The jury was left in their room all night and will be given a chance today to render a verdict or assounce a disagreement.

Grand Haven Weather.

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GRAND HAVEN, Mich., Nov. 2.—Meteorological summary for October shows the rainfall to have been 2.53 inches, a deficiency of 1.42 inches. Mean temperature for the month was 51 degrees. Rain fell ten days during the month and eleven days were cloudless.

Original — Willis Morse, Hersey; Christian Holtz, Riga. Additional— Peter Runsh, Lasalle. Increase—Sam-uel E. Lewis, Shelby. Original, widows, etc.—Elmira Sargood, Grand Rapids. Widows, Indian wars—Esther Slater, Fairfield.

etmasters Commissioned. W. E. Hampton, Charlevoix; Henry C. Peckham, Brunswick; W. E. Landen, Baroda; Peter W. Gander, Cadmus; E. J. Manshum, Fisher Station; H. W. Lyman, Mud Lake; Victoria Bellis, Ray Center.

Mary Bromieje. No. 93 Quimby street, Valley City; Jeneva Collins, No. 207 Mt. Vernon street, St. Andrew's; Dirk Van Renselaar, McReynolds street, Green-wood; Patrick Meaty, No. — Ninth avenue, Minneapolis; Frederick C. Davis, Pettibone street, Valley City.

Contagious Diseases Baby Pennell, No. 13 Island street, measies; Hattie Maloney, No. 265 Ottawa street, typhoid fever.

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